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The experimental center of IIB is also testing Handzelewicz-type roofing which requires no truss or framework.

The Workers' Housing Institute is especially interested in these experiments with a view to adapting some items in the mass production of housing projects.

The construction of the administration building, the storerooms, and the recreation rooms of the center is also experimental in character. For example, the walls of the office were built of bricks and "suprema" (wood shavings bound with cement), the plaster used was of clay and cement, and various combinations of clay were used in the mortar, plaster, and base.

The scientific and administrative research of the center encompasses a range heretofore unknown in Poland. It is expected that the work of the center will be a great aid to the building industry in setting up new methods and systems throughout the Six-Year Plan.

Laboratory findings will lead to reductions in the cost of materials and facilitate the realization of innovations.

WARSAW SEWAGE SYSTEM TO EXPAND -- Zycie Warszawy, No 291, 22 Oct 49

Under the Six-Year Plan, 12 billion zlotys have been allotted for the expansion of the Warsaw sewage and water systems, with 1.5 billion zlotys to be used in 1950. Grochow will receive first priority, followed by Targowek, Mokotow, and Wola.

New housing projects of the Workers' Housing Enterprise will obtain 5,000 meters of new water and sewage pipes in 1950.

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